

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 26 2006

**HAMILTON & TERRILE, LLP**

---

8911 North Capital of Texas Highway  
Westech Center Suite 3150  
Austin, Texas 78759  
512.338.9100 Telephone  
512.345.7225 Facsimile

---

**FACSIMILE COVER SHEET**

---

**DATE:** January 26, 2006

**TO:** USPTO – Official Central Fax      **FACSIMILE No.:** 571-273-8300  
**TELEPHONE:**

**FROM:** Robert W. Holland  
Hamilton & Terrile, LLP

**SUBJECT:** U.S. Serial Number 10/719,157  
Attorney Docket No. DC-05505  
Customer No.: 33438

This transmittal consists of 8 pages, including this cover sheet.

---

**MESSAGE:**

Enclosed for entry in U.S. Serial Number 10/719,157, please find a Response to Final Office Action (7 pages). Thank you.

---

If you do not receive all pages, please call (512) 338-9100.

The information contained in this facsimile message is intended only for the personal and confidential use of the designated recipient(s) names above. This message may be attorney-client communication, and as such is privileged and confidential. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient or an agent responsible for delivering it to the intended recipient, you are hereby notified that you have received this document in error and that any review, dissemination, distribution or copying of this message is strictly prohibited. If you have received this communication in error, please notify us immediately by telephone and return the original message to us by mail. Thank you.

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

JAN 26 2006

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Howell Schwartz, Samuel Nicklaus D'Alessio, Subramanian Jayaram,  
Harold Guy Melton, Stanley Osgood

Assignee: Dell Products L.P.

Title: System and Method for Managing Projector Bulb Life

Serial No.: 10/719,157 Filing Date: November 21, 2003

Examiner: Rochelle Ann J. Blackman Group Art Unit: 2851

Docket No.: DC-05505 Customer No.: 33438

---

Austin, Texas  
January 26, 2006

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
PO BOX 1450  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office action dated December 14, 2005, having a shortened statutory period expiring March 14, 2006. Further examination and reconsideration are respectfully requested in view of the remarks set forth below.